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Worksheet: Matilda Symbolism

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1. In Roald Dahl's *Matilda*, the newt represents Miss Trunchbull's:

- ◯ Kindness
- ◯ Hope
- ◯ Vulnerability
- ◯ Meanness

2. In Roald Dahl's *Matilda*, the miracles represent:

- ◯ Miss Honey's interest in Matilda
- ◯ Miss Trunchbull's mean personality
- ◯ Matilda's difficult life
- ◯ Matilda's inherent goodness

3. In Roald Dahl's *Matilda*, Matilda realizes that Miss Trunchbull is not as scary as she seems when:

- ◯ Matilda sees how scared Miss Trunchbull is of the newt.
- ◯ When Miss Trunchbull threatens Lavender.
- ◯ When Miss Trunchbull yells at Miss Honey.
- ◯ When Miss Trunchbull forces another child to eat an entire chocolate cake.

4. In Roald Dahl's *Matilda*, books represent:

- ◯ Matilda's relationship with her parents
- ◯ Matilda's love of Miss Honey
- ◯ Matilda's escape from her difficult life
- ◯ Matilda's hatred of Miss Trunchbull

5. **Symbolism** is:

- ◯ Using a quote to represent personality traits
- ◯ The objects that repeatedly appear in a story
- ◯ Ideas that are repeated through a story
- ◯ Using an object to represent an idea